

**Amendments to the Specification**

At page 1, immediately following the Title of the Invention please insert the following paragraph:

**RELATED APPLICATIONS**

This application is a 35 U.S.C. § 371 national phase application of PCT/US2005/013876 (WO 2005/102305), filed on April 22, 2005, entitled "Compositions of Allosteric Hemoglobin Modifiers and Methods of Making the Same," which claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/564,721, filed April 22, 2004. Each of these applications is specifically incorporated herein by reference in its entirety.